12. Grants Medical College & Sir J.J. Group of Hospitals, Mumbai, (Maharashtra)*

13. Government Medical College, Thrivananthapuram, (Kerala)

N.B. *The upgradation is pending as the matter is *subjudice* in Nagpur Bench of Mumbai High Court on selection of this institution, instead of the Medical College at Nagpur.

Model Public Health Act

3281. SHRIMATI S.G. INDIRA: Will the Minister of HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that there has been a demand to set up Model Public Health Act by the Centre and States;

(b) if so, the details thereof;

(c) whether Government are aware that public funds given to private hospitals in the name of private-public partnership were being misused; and

(d) if so, the details thereof?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE (SHRIMATI PANABAKA LAKSHMI): (a) and (b) A draft Model Public Health Act was prepared by the Government of India in 1955, which was subsequently revised/modified in 1978. The draft act was circulated to the State Governments, Municipal Corporations and Municipalities, in 1987 as a guide for framing Public Health Acts.

(c) and (d) Health, primarily is the State subject. The Government is not aware of any misue of public funds by private hospitals under private-public partnership.

Migration of doctors from AIIMS

†3282. SHRIMATI MAYA SINGH: Will the MINISTER OF HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that most of the doctors go to foreign countries for practice after getting medical education from All India Institute of Medical Sciences;

†Original notice of the question was received in Hindi